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In the Application of:
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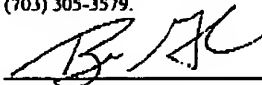
Filed: January 2, 2002

For: **UNIFORM INTERLOCKING FOAM
PACKING MATERIAL/BUILDING
MATERIAL APPARATUS AND
METHOD**

§ Group Art Unit: 3728
§ Examiner: Jimmy G. Foster

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**AMENDED RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND AMENDMENT OF CLAIMS**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed February 12, 2004, the Applicants hereby present this Amended Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 7, 2004. Applicants hereby elect those claims directed to species (B), including claims 47, 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72. Applicants' attorney thanks the Examiner for pointing out the numerical deficiencies of the previously submitted claim set and for citation of prior art transmitted with the Restriction Requirement. Amendments are made herein to the pending claims to correct deficiencies therein.